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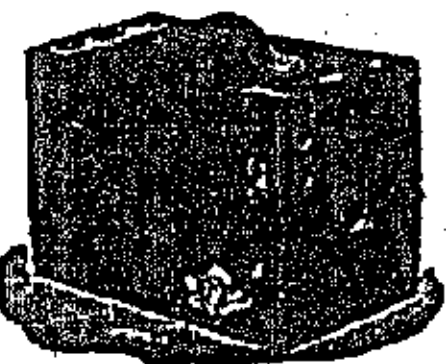
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HONGKONG, MARCH 25TH, 1905.

Give a man a big name, and hang upon his words as if they were uniformly oracular. So might we paraphrase the dog-hanging adage, after trying to digest the "manifesto to the world" which the Standard tells us that crazy old dreamer, Leo Tolstoy, is about to issue. His advice to his downtrodden compatriots, not to resort to violent methods of redressing their grievances, is theoretically good, and may be approved, although it did not seem to be heeded by those it was meant to edify. His platitudes about the need of a spread of education are sound in the same conventional way, and will receive conventional approval; and there is no need here to re-open the "philosophic doubt" thereabout which was shared by HERBERT SPENCER. It is particularly with regard to Tolstoy's denunciations as to the ownership of land that the following comments have concern. He advises the workmen of the world that what they chiefly require is free land upon which they can live, and from which they can draw their livelihood. To secure it, he advises them to desist from supporting "the iniquity of landed property . . . by working the lands owned by landlords, or even by renting them." This advice, palatable to an Irish Fenian, and perhaps applauded by those who are accustomed to hail fads with unthinking enthusiasm, should startle even the most loyal Tolstoyists into sanity. When they have got this free land, they must not, he tells them, regard it as their private property. "It is not necessary to recognise the rights of anybody in landed property, even if it consist of only one square yard." Land, heads, must be recognised as the

common property of all men, like the warmth of the sun and the air. What anarchy, and what nonsense! NORDA describes Tolstoy as a "mystical degenerate," meaning that he is a mentally unbalanced dreamer. Even M. de Voeux, an ardent admirer of Tolstoy, speaks of his "troubled, vacillating mind, steeped in the mists of Nihilism," that occasionally plunges him "into theabysses of philosophical contradictions," which is another way of saying that Tolstoy has a great intellect, but lacks the faculty of attention. Tolstoy's philosophy is a compound of Buddhism and Christianity: "the individual is nothing; the species is everything." A good many of his admirers like to profess the same thing; it sounds noble; but precious few of them dream of putting it into practice. Even Tolstoy, in his retirement, has not shown the self-abnegation that he preaches to the Russian peasant. Surely the most bigotted of religious people will disbelieve him when he says that "people are badly off only because they live badly" (i.e. immorally); for they know that its corollary "people are always well off who live well" is not true in fact. That truth of experience is to them a divine mystery, and one of the noblest and most poetic expressions of it may be found in the book of Job. To Tolstoy, the honest fellow who lives and loves and laughs beneath the sun, asking no questions, thanking and blaming Nobody, content like those people of whom WALT WHITMAN uttered his only one great thought:

"They do not sweat and whine about their condition  
They do not lie awake in the dark and weep for their sins."

Not one is respectable or unhappy over the whole earth.  
—such a man, to Tolstoy, is "living badly." This, however, is taking us too far from the starting point.

It should not be necessary to demonstrate how essential the ownership of land is; how it is as old as the land itself; and how, if analogies be permitted from the animal kingdom, it is older even than man. What is more to the purpose is to show that if Tolstoy's dream were realised to-morrow, the present and natural order would be resumed the day after. For land worth owning is not like air and sunshine; it represents labour; and after Tolstoy has tilled his square yard of land and made it productive he is not going to have any other Russian come along and tell him that any sort of property in land is immoral. Nor is Tolstoy's son afterwards, when that young man inherits it, for the man to whom it is sold. Of course, when we come to contemplate the enclosure, as a mere private park, of thousands of acres of land in some country where there is not enough land to go round, we see something that seems wrong; but where are we going to draw the line? One man tills and prospers and in time acquires his lazy neighbour's plot. The lazy man did not want it. It was an embarrassing possession, constantly calling him to work; and he preferred the cash with which to make merry "in a far country." Somebody stays at home to make the land productive while the prodigal's away. Is there to be a re-division every time the prodigals return? Supposing, as in some Russian places, the Commune became the collective owner of village lands. The villager who works and makes land productive is only a tenant, just as much as if he were paying rent to an individual landlord. The villager who does not work, and cannot pay, will be deprived of land by his Commune just as he is now by the Nobles whose "immoral" ownership of land continues. There actually was a Tolstoyan sort of re-division in the reign of ALEXANDER II, by which twenty million peasants were made landed proprietors, their average holdings (per family) being about twenty-two acres, less in the congested, rich soil parts, and more in the less fertile districts. They had to pay for it, at a reasonable, fixed rate, in moderate instalments spread over many years. Landowners spoiled ALEXANDER's fine dream by offering, as an alternative to the gradual purchase of a twenty acre allotment, a free gift of five acres, and numerous "prodigals" jumped at this, as such people always will. Population increases, but an acre remains an acre all the time, and those Russian peasants soon found that the millennium had not arrived. Then, according to the historians, the seeds of nihilism were sown. So despondency and discontent would follow Tolstoy's plan, for while human nature is so varied, it is impossible to make all men equal "by Act of Parliament." The fact remains that the man who tills and cultivates, feeds his family, and pays his rent, and sleeps sound o' nights, without

trying to put his feeble spoke in the wheel of evolution, is of more use in the world than all the Tolstoy's that ever wished to pull everything to pieces and begin anew. It is foolish to say that this involves the gospel of things as they are. There is a difference between the act of building on a rock, and the act of trying to sweep back the tide. Man has been able to direct the lightning's course, but no AJAX-Tolstoy combination will ever stop its career. Unfortunately, the ignorant and the impressionable believe them when they say they can, and much time is wasted in useless worrying, and the noise of their complaining troubles those who have more practical tasks in hand.

We hear that Mr. F. A. Hazeland (Police Magistrate) will deliver a written judgment at noon to-day in the case of Rex v. Punched, Lowther and Company.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Allies Memorial and Netherdale Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks donations of \$5 from Messrs. Guedes & Co., F. Connell Lewis, and M. S. Northcott; and of \$25 from the Dairy Farm Co. Ltd.

The Canadian Pacific Railway management has decided to make a thorough exploration of Vancouver Island, a large portion of which has never been explored, with a view to ascertaining the resources of the island and the possibilities of its development by an extension of railway facilities.

Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co. inform us that they are in receipt of telegraphic information that the Directors of the Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd. recommend at the general meeting of shareholders a dividend of 20 per cent and a special dividend of 5 per cent and to carry to reserve \$50,000.

The Members of the Hongkong Volunteer Reserve Association meet for practice at the 200 yards Range, King's Park, Kowloon, to-day (Saturday) from 1:30 to 5 p.m.—This will probably be the final practice previous to the commencement of a competition for a Cup presented by His Excellency the Governor.

The programme of music to be performed by the band of the 110th Mahratta Light Infantry on the New Parade Ground, on Monday, from 5 to 8:30 p.m., is as follows:—  
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Song: "Under the Bamboo Tree," Cole  
Valse: "Thine Alone," Mufeter  
Selection: "La Poupée," Andran  
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Sir H. S. Berkeley, the Chief Justice, on Thursday evening gave a "Law" dinner at his residence at the Peak. There were present: H. E. the Governor, Mr. F. A. Hazeland, Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Mr. H. G. Caldwell, Captain Lester, Mr. C. D. Melbourne, Mr. C. D. Wilkinson, Mr. A. Seth, Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., Mr. V. H. Deacon, Mr. C. E. Ewins, Hon. Mr. E. H. Sharp, K.C., Mr. M. J. D. Stephens, Mr. T. Sercombe Smith, Mr. H. Gedge and Hon. Dr. Ho Kai.

Mr. Chamberlain's view that the Board of Trade would not be improved by merely changing its name meets with approval from all parts of the House of Commons. The proposed Bill to reconstruct the Board of Trade under the title of the Ministry of Commerce has not been drafted, though its general lines are well understood in Parliamentary circles. The central part of the scheme will be the Board of Trade with co-ordinate bureaux. It is, however, felt that more than this is required.

The Russian Admiralty was reported on Feb. 23, to have been thrown into a state of feverish activity by the receipt of intelligence that Admiral Togo, accompanied by his own colliers, as well as by twenty-five captured coal-transports, intended to pass through the Malay Archipelago, in order to give battle to Admiral Rojdestvensky. In the absence of the third Baltic division, and of the cruisers still in the Red Sea, Rojdestvensky's position is regarded as extremely perilous.

At the Supreme Court yesterday, a French witness asked to be allowed to "affirm," instead of kissing the Bible. Mr. Justice Smith asked him if he were a Christian. He said "yes, but"—and was proceeding to qualify the admission; but was not allowed to finish. He was made to kiss the book. If the facts were as here reported, we say that Mr. Justice Smith did wrong. Kissing a much handled book is a very unhygienic performance; and no law compels even an avowed Christian to do it. We invite Mr. Justice Smith's attention to the fact that that book which he was so keen to have oiled "swear not at all; let your yea be yea and your nay nay."

By kind permission of Colonel W. G. B. Western C. B. and officers, the band of the second Battalion "The Queen's Own" (Royal West Kent Regiment) will play the following "Programme of Music" during dinner at the Hongkong Hotel this (Saturday) evening:—  
March: "Soldiers in the Park," Monckton  
Overture: "Bauer and Dichter," Suppl  
Selection from: "Faust," Gounod  
Valse: "The Blue Danube," Strauss  
Moreau Mignon: "Salut d'Amour," Elgar  
Selection from: "The Duchess of Dantzic," Caryl  
Two Step: "Whistling Rufus," Mills  
Menu:—Hors D'Œuvre—Canapés—à la Diana, Soup—Mock Turtle Soup, Fish—Grilled Salmon à la Maitre, Entree—Mutton Cutlets à la Nelson, Braised Fillet of Beef and Madeira Sauce, Cauliflower au Gratin, Curry—Saratopel, Joint, Roast—Roast Beef, Roast Capon and Bread Sauce, Boiled Bacon and Spinach, Cold Stuffed Duck and Endive Salad, Sweets—Marmalade and Vermicelli Fudding, Batafia Ice Cream and Finger Cakes, Cranberry Tart, Tipsey Cake, Dessert—Coffee, Fruit.

It is reported that at Washington, on Feb. 20th Mr. Baker, member of Congress for New York, who was born a British subject, caused a sensation in the House of Representatives by denying that the American people were shocked at the assassination of the Grand Duke Sergius, which, he declared, was an effort to overthrow tyranny. Mr. Baker condemned President Roosevelt for sending a message to the Russian Government expressing sympathy with the Czar on his loss, while as yet he had not noticed the wanton massacre of January 22, at which Americans were shocked.

One of the numerous correspondents arguing for China as against India tea, said:—I, among my friends, am the pioneer of the great China tea-conversion movement. When, about 12 years ago, I began to proclaim the benefits of choice Pak Lums and Pan Yongs, in preference to the coarseness and crudity of even the best Ceylon and Indian blends, I was laughed at as a crank. One by one my acquaintances of both sexes have been charmed into capitulation by the persuasive delicacy of "fine China" properly made. My wife was the first convert, and now in the homes of more than 40 of our friends there is neither Indian tea nor indigestion. May I suggest that the over-increasing number of shops and cafés in all quarters where the sign "China tea served," is displayed is proof of the growing wisdom of the people?

A correspondent in the *Globe* says it may be assumed that in cases of two countries trading on a like system of currency, the purchasing power in the poorer country is greater generally than in the richer country. "It does not, however, follow that the United Kingdom owed its prosperous state in the sixties and seventies of last century to the fact of her then being on an isolated gold standard of currency. At that period foreign countries were far more in need of our home manufactures than they are now. Civilised foreigners nowadays provide and manufacture to a large extent their own requirements. In my view it was the demoralisation of silver in 1873 that checked British exports and crippled her greatest industries. It was the demoralisation of silver that rendered foreigners, that still maintained a silver legal tender currency, able to supply us with food far cheaper than we could ourselves produce it. For example, the Argentine premium on gold for many years has enabled her merchants to undersell our wheat and food producers to an enormous extent and will continue to do so, so long as an English sovereign is convertible into 22 5s. 6d. worth of her own paper currency, as it now is. In such circumstances, it is no wonder our wheat growing acreage has so greatly decreased."

## THE PEAK CLUB.

An extraordinary general meeting of Peak Club members was held on Wednesday last to consider a request from the Honorary Secretary of the Peak School for the use of a part of the Club premises during summer months from eight a.m. to noon. After a lengthy discussion one of the members asked if such a contingency was provided for by the memorandum of association. By reference, it was found that by the articles of association the Club premises could not be used for other purposes than the Club. The land on which the Club stands belongs to Messrs. Butterfield and Swire and Jardine, Matheson and Company, who formerly agreed not to build on it. The firms subsequently let the Peak Club have the site conditionally at a nominal rental, one condition being that mentioned.

## SEIZURE OF COUNTERFEIT COIN.

Inspector Collett yesterday charged two Chinamen before Mr. J. H. Kemp (Police Magistrate) with unlawful possession of counterfeit coin. Police agents, while working up the case, purchased or secured on credit \$32 (face value) in counterfeit coin from one of the defendants. This man was then arrested, and gave information which led up to the arrest of a man from No. 241, Des Vaux Road Central, an emigrant boarding house. At this house was discovered \$62.60 in counterfeit Chinese money, \$52.40 in bad Hongkong five-cent pieces, a bad Straits dollar and a bad Hongkong dollar. The first defendant was sentenced to six months' hard labour. The second defendant was sentenced to six months' hard labour and six hours' stocks for unlawful possession of the bad Hongkong money, and a fine of \$30 for the bad Chinese money, or, in default, a further term of six months' imprisonment.

## SEDUCING RUSSIAN SOLDIERS.

Hardly a day passes without proclamations being thrown into the barrack yards of the various regiments. The soldiers are under the strictest orders to hand them to their officers immediately without reading them. Naturally, the educated men in the ranks peruse them, but they dare not retain them, as searches are instituted at frequent intervals, and the severest penalties inflicted in case of discovery. These appeals to the soldiers are now mostly printed in good type. They call upon them to join the great cause, not only on general grounds, but also because the Russian soldier is worse treated than any other. He receives practically no pay, and can be treated, as he usually is, like a dog; and a comparison is drawn in these respects with the lot of soldiers in other armies.

It is unquestionable that this form of propaganda is making headway in the army, and also, though chiefly among the uneducated ranks. The common *mutiny* is too utterly dull and stupid to be much impressed. The only abstractions attainable at his stage of intelligence are those immemorial ones of God and the Czar. The revolutionary leaflets affirm that this is the real secret of the reverses in Manchuria. The chemists' shops, with few exceptions, re-opened to-day, the employees having secured satisfactory terms. The railway strikes continue.—Standard.

## TELEGRAMS.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

## THE BRITISH NAVY.

LONDON, 22nd March.  
In the House of Lords, Viscount Goschen justified Great Britain's vast increase in naval expenditure during the last fifteen years by the changes which have occurred throughout the world. He did not think that the loss of five Russian battleships justified the decrease made in the British programme.

Earl Selborne referred to great changes which have taken place in the naval power; France has maintained her building and efficiency; America and Germany have evolved navies of equal strength and efficiency; Italy has stood still. England merely recognized facts. He did not advocate the three power standard because he thought England was unable to afford it. Stability of finances was as necessary as an efficient navy, and one must balance against the other.

## THE INDIAN BUDGET.

LONDON, 22nd March.  
The Indian Budget for 1904-1905 shows a surplus of £3,485,500, exceeding the estimate by £2,568,800.

## THE QUEEN IN PORTUGAL.

LONDON, 22nd March.  
The Queen has arrived at Lisbon.

## THE DISTURBANCES IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, 22nd March.  
Troops are proceeding to the districts most affected by the rising of the Russian peasants. The landowners are taking refuge in the towns.

## THE WAR.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

## THE THIRD BALTIC SQUADRON.

LONDON, 22nd March.  
Russia's third Baltic squadron, under Admiral Nibogatoff, has left Suda Bay for Port Said.

## THE VOLUNTEERS.

At the shoot off for the Corps Championship Gunner F. W. Penning beat Gunner J. T. Hayton by one point.

H.E. the Governor has approved of the carbines in store being sold to members of the H.K.V.C. at \$5 each.

Messrs. M. Steward and E. Howard have joined the Volunteer Troop.

Messrs. A. N. Clothier, E. L. Hornibrook, J. Johnston and W. McIntyre have joined the H.K.V.C. The following names have been struck off the strength:—Gunner A. A. Alves, Sapper W. T. Owens, Drummer C. F. Critchley and gunner C. A. O'Neill.

The annual inspection of the H.K.V.C. and H.K.V. Troops, by H.E. Major-General Villiers Hutton, C.B., will take place at Causeway Bay this afternoon.

## EDUCATION AT PAKHOI.

The French school at Pakhoi continues to meet with considerable success. At the recent prize distribution, we learn from a French contemporary, Mandarins of all ranks and the principal notabilities of the neighbourhood were present. The French Vice-Consul at Pakhoi, who distributed the prizes, said that during the five years the school had been opened, by the devotion and skill of the teachers, by the assiduity and willingness to work of the students, they had seen every year an increase in the number of students who were prepared to remain the number of years necessary to perfect themselves in the French language and European sciences. He emphasised the utility of the French language. Pakhoi he said, was situated near to Tonkin, and the relations with the French Colony were so frequent that the students would understand the interest which they had in speaking a language which would enable them to develop their relations with the French people, increasing their commerce and also qualifying themselves for honourable positions in their own country, Pakhoi or Canton, as well as in Indo-China. While impressing on the students the desirability of learning the French language thoroughly, he urged them at the same time not to neglect the study of the Chinese language, to write it as well as to speak it well, so that they would not seem strangers in their own country. The speech, the report says, was translated into Chinese and heartily applauded "especially by the mandarins."

## KAISER AND COUNT VON BULOW.

The Emperor William has conferred marks of his approval on the statements who took the most prominent part in arranging the new commercial treaties just concluded. Count von Bulow has received a marble bust of his Majesty, with an autograph letter expressing the Imperial thanks in the warmest terms. It is understood that the Emperor offered to raise Count von Bulow to princely rank, but that the Chancellor declined the honour on the ground that his private means were insufficient to enable him to maintain the dignity attaching to the princely title in a fitting manner. This is the second occasion on which Count von Bulow has refused the Emperor's offer to elevate him to this rank.

On Count von Posadowsky, the Minister of the Interior, the Emperor has conferred the highest Prussian Order, that of the Black Eagle. General von Podbielski, Minister of Agriculture, has been awarded the Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle; and Baron von Eichthofen, hitherto State Secretary for Foreign Affairs, has been raised to the rank of Minister, and appointed a member of the Prussian Cabinet.—Standard.

## SUPREME COURT.

Friday, 24th March.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE SIR H. S. BERKELEY (CHIEF JUSTICE).

RE THE SAM YEE CO., LD.  
Mr. Norman Ferrers (instructed by Mr. P. W. Goldring of Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton's office) said:—This is a petition for the winding up of a Chinese Company known as the Sam Yee Company, Limited. I appear on behalf of a petitioning creditor, Luk Lai Che, who is managing partner of the Yon On firm of 32, Bonham Strand East. My application is for the winding up of the Company. No one appears in Court, but I understand that there are parties not represented here now who will appear. I do not think it will be necessary to read the petition because I desire to ask Your Lordship that the matter be adjourned *sine die*. The creditors of the Company may come to an agreement, so the decision of the Court may not be required.  
His Lordship assented.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. T. SERCOMBE SMITH (JUDGE).

E. M. LE VERGER V. F. VETOH.

Emile Michel le Vergor (claimed from Francis Vetch of Procureur Generale des Etrangers de Paris—(24, Calais Road)—\$600.—Mr. D. V. Stevenson (of Messrs. Deacon, Lockyer and Deacon) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton for the defendant.

After hearing the case, His Honour, in giving judgment, said:—Here the plaintiff originally claimed \$750 for three months' wages due to him for work done during the three months of January, February, and March in connection with the supply of coolie labour for Indo-China. To-day the claim is amended to make \$600 for two months' wages for January and February, and \$2.00 is included in lieu of notice for the month of March. I thought at first that the original claim for salary at \$250 per month altered to-day to \$200 per month might show that the plaintiff himself was not quite sure of the terms of engagement, but it was pointed out that in his affidavit of the 10th March he had said that his salary was \$200, so it is possible that this mistake is through some clerical error in the office of the plaintiff's solicitors. Unfortunately there is nothing in writing, and as this is the case I am thrown back on the evidence of the plaintiff to prove what the agreement with the defendant was, and the same remarks apply to the evidence of the other side. The plaintiff is supposed to have proved his case, but I think there is no proof that such contract which he sets out was made. It appears that the plaintiff was asked to ride for the defendant at Foochow and get \$300 for that object. He abandoned his work at Mr. Aarty's office, and left deliberately knowing that he would not be taken back. He went to Foochow and stayed with the defendant. Both came to Hongkong and both went back to Foochow. The plaintiff did a few acts, such as sending telegrams, but these acts were quite consistent with the friendship the defendant had extended to him, and nothing more than a man out of work would do for a friend. I am satisfied that this contract (for supplying coolies) has as yet not been consummated, and that the defendant never obtained the contract. My opinion is that what the defendant did was to say to the plaintiff "I am expecting to get a contract, and if I obtain it I will put you in charge of the job, and will also give you commission on the profits." I am not satisfied that there was any contract between the parties in which the plaintiff was engaged by the defendant at a fixed salary of \$200 per month. Judgment for the defendant with costs.

## AMERICAN SAILORS IN COURT.

Yesterday nine American bluejackets from the American warship *Oregon* were charged with disorderly conduct, one of them being accused with having thrown an Indian constable over the Praya. The disturbance occurred in the vicinity of Queen's Statue Wharf, a white sailor bullying a negro shipmate. An Indian constable came to the rescue and was knocked into the water. He was picked out by an Indian police sergeant, unhurt but minus his turban. An American sergeant-at-arms gave evidence that the Indian was not "thrown" overboard, but was "shoved" over by the crowd during a scuffle, no individual being more culpable than the others. Mr. F. A. Hazeland, the police magistrate, accepted this statement, but fined the defendants from \$5 to \$7 each according to the degree of disorderly conduct proved against them. The sergeant-at-arms, while in the precincts of the Court, was overheard to say:—"I told them not to hit the police. I will just say their fines, bring them to the hotel and stand them a drink, and then take them on board as prisoners."

Another sailor from the same ship charged a chair-coolie with making off with a dollar which accidentally dropped from his pocket. The coolie was convicted and sentenced to one month's hard labour.

Another sailor, asked if he pleaded guilty to being drunk and disorderly, replied "I guess I do." Fined \$2.  
A man from the *Wicacoona* was fined \$10 for assaulting a lukong. One witness called estimated that out of eighty American blue-jackets ashore fifty were drunk.

## LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The O. & O. str. *Coptic*, with mails, &c., left Shanghai on Thursday, the 23rd inst. at 11 a.m., and is due here to-day at 8 p.m.  
The O.S.B. & C. str. *Felous*, from Pacific coast and Japan, left Shanghai on the 23rd inst. at noon, and is due here to-morrow morning.  
The P. & O. str. *Pera* left Singapore for this port on the 24th inst. at 8 a.m.







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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Hongkong, 25th March, 1905. [804]

EASTERN EXTENSION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

M. A. B. SKOTTOWE will be in charge of the Company's Business at this port from today and until further notice.

J. M. BECK, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 25th March, 1905. [805]

## NOTICE.

## OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA.

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA beg to announce the opening of NEW REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICES as follows:

(1) Between HONGKONG & SHANGHAI, via SWATOW, AMOY and FOCHOW: tri-monthly service, commencing from 4th April, 1905, with two steamers.

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(3) Between TAMSUI, AMOY and FOCHOW: tri-monthly service, commencing from 6th April, 1905.

At Amoy connection is made with the Company's regular steamers for Formosa and other ports.

For particulars of steamers and proposed sailing dates see separate advertisement. As soon as conditions permit, the present steamers on the lines will be replaced by new and up-to-date steamers.

T. ARIMA, Manager.

Hongkong, 25th March, 1905. [1205]

## THE YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Association will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, No. 26 The Bund, Shanghai, on TUESDAY, the 11th April, 1905, at 4.30 o'clock p.m., for presentation of the Report of the Directors and the Accounts to the 31st December, 1904, the election of Directors and Auditor for the current year, and for the purpose of transacting any other business which may be transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Association will be CLOSED from the 1st of April to the 11th of April, 1905, both days inclusive.

Members holding proxies for absent Shareholders must deposit same with the Secretary for Registration at least Forty-eight hours before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. S. JACKSON, Secretary.

Shanghai, 15th March, 1905. [807]

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 27th day of MARCH, 1905, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land at Syuen Village, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King for one further term of 75 years.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

| No. of Sale. | Boundary Measurements. | Area in Acres. | Annual Rent. | Upset Price. |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| Lot No. 125. | Boundary Measurements. |                |              |              |
| 1            | 140 ft. by 120 ft.     | 1.68           | £3.33        | £110         |

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer "SIMLA" FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out, Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo—

From London, &c., ex s.s. Moldavia and Arabia.

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From Calcutta, ex s.s. Sonali.

From Persian Gulf ex s.s. B. I. S. N. and B. P. S. N. Co.'s Steamers.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 1 p.m. To-day, the 24th inst.

Goods not cleared by the 30th inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee and the Company's representatives at an appointed hour. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

L. S. LEWIS, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, 24th March, 1905. [1]

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## "BARBER" LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "SAGAMI" FROM NEW YORK.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 30th March, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st April, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th March, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LD., Agents.

Hongkong, 24th March, 1905. [803]

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

## CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

## CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

## "KAISOW"

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., where in both cases it will be at Consignee's risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 24th inst.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 a.m. on the 31st inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 31st inst., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd April, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 24th March, 1905. [9-10]

## THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS AND CHINA OVERLAND TRADER REPORT

## is now ready and contains—

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## Hongkong, 25th March, 1905.

## NOTICE.

## THE HONGKONG SCHOOLS' SPORTS

## will be held at the RACE COURSE.

## Happy Valley, on MONDAY, March 27th.

## Hongkong, 23rd March, 1905. [784]

## THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL.

## THE DALLAS-BANDMANN OPERA CO.

## TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!

## SATURDAY, MARCH 25th,

## "THE ORCHID."

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

## Performances will be given on

## MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT,

## MARCH 27th and 28th.

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## THIS SEASON.

## The pieces to be performed will be decided by

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## Ballot Box at ROBINSON PIANO CO.

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## Plan at ROBINSON PIANO CO., LD.

## Prices as usual.

## Late Train 15 minutes after the Performance.

## FRED. C. GARR, N. Business Manager.

## Hongkong, 25th March, 1905. [782]

## Under the Patronage of H.E. the GOVERNOR.

## CITY HALL.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

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## WESTMINSTER

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## from London.

## THREE CONCERTS ONLY.

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## A Unique Programme

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## Prices \$3, 2 &amp; 1. Concert 9-11 p.m.

## Hongkong, 14th March, 1905. [694]

## PUBLIC COMPANIES

## THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

## THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY

## GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE-

## HOLDERS in the above Company will be held

## at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, St. George's

## Building, No. 6, Connaught Road, Victoria,

## THIS DAY (SATURDAY), the 25th

## March, 1905, at 11 a.m. for the year ending 31st

## December, 1904.

## The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

## will be CLOSED from Wednesday, the 22nd

## March to Saturday, the 25th March, both days

## inclusive.

## SHEWAN, TOMES &amp; CO.,

## General Managers.

## Hongkong, 25th March, 1905. [693]

## GEO. FENWICK AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

## NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN

## EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL

## MEETING of the Company, will be held at the

## HONGKONG HOTEL, Victoria, Hongkong

## on FRIDAY, the 31st day of March,

## 1905, at Noon, when the Subscribed Resolution

## which was passed at the Extraordinary General

## Meeting of the Company held on the 11th

## March, 1905, will be submitted for confirmation

## as a Special Resolution:—

## "That Article X of the Company's Articles

## of Association and its marginal notes be and

## the same are hereby cancelled and that there

## be substituted therefor the following Article

## and marginal notes namely

## Power to X. The Company in General Meeting

## may from time to time increase the

## capital by the creation of n-w shares

## of such amount as may be deemed

## expedient.

## The new shares shall be issued upon

## such terms and conditions and with

## such rights and privileges annexed

## thereto as the General Meeting

## resolving upon the creation thereof

## shall direct and if no direction be

## given as the Directors shall de-

## cree.

## Subject to any direction to the

## contrary that may be given by the

## Meeting that sanctions the increase

## of capital all new shares shall be

## offered to the parties who on a date

## to be named by the Meeting shall be

## members in proportion to the

## existing shares held by them and

## such offer shall be made by notice

## specifying the number of shares to

## which the Member is entitled and

## limiting a time within which the

## offer if not accepted will be deemed

## to be declined and after the expiration

## of such time or on the receipt of

## an intimation from the Member

## declining to accept the shares offered

## the Directors may dispose of the

## same in such manner as they think

## most beneficial to the Company.

## Provided so far as is otherwise

## excepted by the conditions of issue

## or by these presents any capital

## raised by the creation of new shares

## shall be considered part of the

## original ordinary capital and shall be

## subject to the provisions herein

## contained with reference to the

## payment of calls and instalments

## transfer and transmission forfeiture

## lien and otherwise."

## By Order of the Board of Directors,

## W. G. WINTERBURN,

## General Manager.

## Hongkong, 15th March, 1905. [706]

## WATKINS LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

## THE SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL

## MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

## will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE

## No. 31, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY,

## the 31st March, 1905, at Noon, for the purpose

## of receiving the Report of the General Manager

## with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December,

## 1904.

## The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

## will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st

## March, both days inclusive.

## By Order,

## M. A. A. SOUZA,

## Secretary.

## Hongkong, 15th March, 1905. [71]

## JUST UNPACKED.

## MESSRS. PECK, FREAN &amp; CO.'S well-

## known BISCUITS of the day, viz.,

## EVERTON, FAMILY, MARSENA, VEDA,

## VENICE and PLASMON.

## PLASMON BISCUITS are more easily

## digested and afford greater nourishment

## and sustenance than any other. PLASMON is a

## preparation which answers in the scientific

## knowledge of the day all the Requirements of

## an Ideal Food.

## MESSRS. CHAS. SOUTHWELL'S

## PREPARATIONS.

## JAMS and JELLIES in Glass Jars are

## Specially Prepared from Fresh Fruits.

## SWEETS in Glass Jars as follows:—MIXED

## NONPAREILS, VOICE JUJUBES, LIME

## DATES, PLEE DATES, MIXED PAS-

## TILLES.

## Inspection Earnestly Solicited.

## H. RUTONJEE,

## No. 5, D'Almeida Street,

## 37 &amp; 38, Elgin Road, Kowloon.

## Hongkong, 23rd March, 1905. [783]

## RUINART PERE &amp; FILS, REIMS

## Established 1719.

## CHAMPAGNE GROWERS AND

## SHIPPERS.

## Ship only the Finest Quality

## Extra Dry (Green Seal)

## LAUTS, WEGENER &amp; CO.,

## Sole Agents.

## Hongkong, 18th May, 1905. [21]

## AUCTIONS

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

## THE Undersigned have received instructions

## from the OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR, to

## Sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (SATURDAY),

## the 25th MARCH, 1905, at 2.30 p.m., at their

## SALES ROOMS, No. 8, Des Voeux Road

## (Corner of Ice House Street),

## A GREAT ASSORTMENT OF

## GOLD AND DIAMOND JEWELLERY,

## Comprising:—

## DIAMOND BROOCHES, DIAMOND

## CRESCENT BROOCH, DIAMOND AND

## SAPPHIRE RINGS, EMERALD RINGS,

## GOLD WATCHES, GOLD BRACELETS,

## EARRINGS, OPAL RINGS, GOLD AND

## SILVER BUCKLES AND PURSES, &amp;c., &amp;c.,

## &amp;c.

## TERMS:—As usual.

## HUGHES &amp; HOUGH,

## Government Auctioneers.

## Hongkong, 23rd March,







## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

AMARA, British str., 1,400, J. Matlock, 24th Mar., Java 15th Mar., Sugar—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
 HAITAN, British str., 1,183, Roach, 24th Mar., Cochin 21st Mar., Amoy 22nd and Swatow 23rd, General—Douglas Lapraik & Co.  
 HANGSANG, British str., 24th Mar., from Canton.  
 KANSU, British str., 24th Mar., from Canton.  
 FOSCHER, German str., 1,739, P. L. Mucke, 24th Mar., Moji 18th Mar., Coal—Jensen & Co.  
 QUEEN ELIZABETH, British str., 2,370, A. Currie, 24th Mar., Cardiff 10th Jan., Coal—Order.  
 SAGAMI, British str., 2,603, F. J. Littlehales, 24th Mar., Manila 21st Mar., General—Doddwell & Co.  
 SAITE, British str., 3,619, A. McPherson, 23rd Mar., Shanghai 20th Mar., General—Doddwell & Co.  
 SINDA, British str., 3,805, F. R. Summers, 24th Mar., Bombay 7th Mar., and Singapore 15th, Mailkanal General—P. & O. S. N. Co.  
 TAIJING, British str., 1,350, Outerbridge, 24th Mar., Manila 21st Mar., General—Butterfield & Swire.  
 TLE-KAI, British str., 3,016, H. C. Harris, 24th Mar., London and Singapore 18th Mar., General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

## CLEARANCES.

At the HONGKONG MASTER'S OFFICE.  
 24th March.  
 Confidence, Italian str., for Kobe.  
 Gladfield, British str., for Amoy.  
 Glyde, German str., for Chinkiang.  
 Muthill, German str., for Hainan.  
 Queen Eleanor, British str., for Swatow.  
 Robt, British str., for Manila.  
 Sagan, British str., for Shanghai.  
 Trieste, Austrian str., for Shanghai.

## DEPARTURES.

24th March.  
 BENYUEN, British str., for Nagasaki.  
 BORNEO, German str., for Kuant.  
 CLARA JENSEN, German str., for Coast Ports.  
 DECIMA, German str., for Swatow.  
 EBERHARDT, British str., for Saigon.  
 HAITAN, British str., for Swatow.  
 HOPKINS, British str., for Singapore.  
 KAMON, Norwegian str., for Cebu.  
 KOREA, American str., for San Francisco.  
 LOONOSANG, British str., for Manila.  
 LOOSOR, German str., for Bangkok.  
 M. STRUVE, German str., for Saigon.  
 WOOSUNG, British str., for Canton.

## SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British str. *Haitan* reports: Moderate to strong N.E. monsoons with heavy rains throughout.  
 The British str. *Saint Fillans* reports: Strong to fresh N. and N.E. to E.N.E. winds, rough sea, and cloudy with heavy rain squalls.  
 The British str. *Queen Eleanor* reports: Light to fresh breezes throughout. Passed the barque *Queen Margaret*, of Glasgow, off Sunda Straits, bound to St. Helena.

## VESSELS IN DOCK.

24th March.  
 ABERDEEN DOCK—Quetta.  
 KOWLOON DOCK—U.S.A.T. *Lieutenant*, *Westminster*, *Bridge*, *H.M.S. Whiting*, *Sung-Kiang*, *Likin*, *U.S.S. Oregon*, *U.S.S. Bainbridge*, *U.S.S. Barry*, *U.S.S. Chauncey*, *U.S.S. Dale*, *U.S.S. Decatur*, *U.S.S. Wisconsin*, *Proteus*, *U.S.A.T. General*, *Ala*, *Consolidation*, *Doan*, *Longwood*.

## VESSELS ON THE BERTH

24th March.  
 AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.  
 STEAM TO SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.  
 THE Company's Steamship  
 "TRIESTE".  
 Captain D. Mistrorigo, will leave for the above ports TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 9 a.m.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 SANDER, WIELER & CO.,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, 18th March, 1905. [3]  
 FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE China Mutual Steamship  
 "TEENKAI".  
 Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above ports TO-DAY, the 25th inst., at 5 p.m.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1905. 791  
 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW.  
 THE Company's Steamship  
 "HAITAN".  
 Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 26th inst., at 10 a.m.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,  
 General Managers,  
 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1905. 792  
 FASTER AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.  
 Calling at TAIPO, PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, (&c.)  
 THE Steamship  
 "AUSTRALIAN".  
 Captain McArthur, will be despatched for the above ports on SATURDAY, the 26th April, at Noon.  
 This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Tea, &c., throughout the voyage.  
 This Steamer is installed throughout with the Electric Light.  
 A duly qualified Surgeon and Stewardess are carried.  
 N.B.—To ensure the additional comfort of passengers the Steamers of the Company have electric fans fitted in staterooms.  
 For Freight or Passage apply to  
 GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,  
 Agents,  
 Hongkong, 18th March, 1905. [740]

## VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING

To ascertain the anchorage of any Vessel, the Harbour has been divided into Four Sections commencing from Green Island. Vessels anchoring nearest Kowloon are marked K, nearest Hongkong H, midway between Hongkong and Kowloon M, and those vessels berthed at the Kowloon Wharf K.W., together with the number denoting the section.

1. From Green Island to the Harbour Master's.
2. From Harbour Master's to Blake Pier.
3. From Blake Pier to Naval Yard.
4. From Naval Yard to East Point.

| DESTINATION                                | VESSEL'S NAME    | FLAG & REG. | BERTH | CAPTAIN               | FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO        | TO BE DESPATCHED            |
|--|------------------|-------------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| LONDON, &c., VIA PORTS OF CALL.            | MALTA            | Brit. str.  | —     | R. A. Peters          | P. & O. S. N. Co.           | To-day, at Noon.            |
| LONDON & ANTWERP.                          | BENGOE           | Brit. str.  | —     | Ubb, Livingston & Co. | Ubb, Livingston & Co.       | On 27th inst.               |
| LONDON & ANTWERP.                          | MERIONETHSHIRE   | Brit. str.  | —     | C. H. Burch           | SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.         | On 28th inst., at 4 p.m.    |
| LONDON & ANTWERP.                          | MALACA           | Brit. str.  | —     | G. W. Babat, R.N.R.   | P. & O. S. N. Co.           | About 28th inst.            |
| AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP.               | ACHILLES         | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 28th inst.               |
| AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP.               | MACHAON          | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 11th April.              |
| AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP.               | AGATHANNON       | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 25th April.              |
| AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP.               | JASON            | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 9th May.                 |
| AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP.               | PINGSNEY         | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 23rd May.                |
| MARSEILLES, &c., VIA PORTS OF CALL.        | TOURANE          | Brit. str.  | —     | Girard                | MESSAGERIES MARITIMES       | On 4th April, at 1 p.m.     |
| BREMEN, VIA PORTS OF CALL.                 | P. E. LUTFOLD    | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | H. Kirohner           | MELOHRS & CO.               | On 28th inst., at Noon.     |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SCANDIA          | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | V. Dohren             | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 28th inst.               |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SURINA           | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | Knutel                | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 14th April.              |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SILESA           | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | Bahle                 | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 16th April.              |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SLAVONIA         | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | Madsen                | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 2nd May.                 |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SEGOVIA          | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | Schoenfeldt           | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 16th May.                |
| HAYRE & HAMBURG.                           | SENEGAMBIA       | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | Jaburg                | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 30th May.                |
| GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL.             | ALCINOUS         | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 20th April.              |
| GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL.             | LAERTES          | Brit. str.  | —     | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 20th May.                |
| TRIESTE, &c., VIA SINGAPORE, &c.           | M. BACQUEHEM     | Aus. str.   | —     | Rassevich             | SANDER, WIELER & CO.        | About 24th inst.            |
| NEW YORK, VIA PORTS & SUEZ CANAL.          | ST. PHILANS      | Brit. str.  | —     | Nicholas              | STANDARD OIL CO.            | Quick despatch.             |
| NEW YORK, VIA PORTS & SUEZ CANAL.          | SCRYMKEILL       | Brit. str.  | —     | Burnett               | STANDARD OIL CO.            | About 25th April.           |
| NEW YORK, VIA PORTS & SUEZ CANAL.          | HUDSON           | Brit. str.  | —     | Habel                 | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE       | On 25th May.                |
| NEW YORK VIA SUEZ.                         | NUBIA            | Ger. str.   | k.w.  | —                     | CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.     | On 29th inst.               |
| VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, &c.               | EMPEROR OF CHINA | Brit. str.  | 2 m.  | —                     | CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.     | On 28th April.              |
| VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, &c.               | TACTAR           | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | F. G. Purington       | DODWELL & CO., LIMITED.     | On 30th inst.               |
| VICTORIA (B.C.) & TACOMA VIA NAGASAKI, &c. | PIRIADES         | Am. str.    | —     | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 28th inst.               |
| VICTORIA (B.C.) & TACOMA VIA NAGASAKI, &c. | TELEMACHUS       | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | Wagner                | PORTLAND & ASIATIC S.S. CO. | On 31st inst., at Daylight. |
| PORTLAND, OREGON.                          | Nicomedia        | Brit. str.  | —     | McArthur              | GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.      | On 8th April, at Noon.      |
| AUSTRALIAN PORTS.                          | CHINOTU          | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 10th April.              |
| YOKOHAMA, VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE.       | PERA             | Brit. str.  | —     | A. L. Valentini       | P. & O. S. N. Co.           | About 2nd April.            |
| NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.                 | TEENKAI          | Brit. str.  | —     | Harris                | NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA         | To-day, at 5 p.m.           |
| TIENTSIN VIA SWATOW.                       | BEANG            | Brit. str.  | —     | D. Mistrorigo         | JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.     | On 27th inst., at Noon.     |
| SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA & KOBE.                 | TRIESTE          | Aus. str.   | —     | —                     | SANDER, WIELER & CO.        | To-day, at 9 a.m.           |
| SHANGHAI VIA NINGPO.                       | HANGSANG         | Brit. str.  | —     | —                     | JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.     | To-day, at 4 p.m.           |
| SHANGHAI.                                  | NINGPO           | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 28th inst.               |
| SHANGHAI.                                  | WOOSUNG          | Brit. str.  | —     | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 28th inst.               |
| SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.                     | FAITHFUL         | Brit. str.  | —     | H. A. Haselgren       | OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA        | To-morrow, at 7 a.m.        |
| SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.                     | B. BOONSON       | Ger. str.   | —     | C. Olson              | OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA        | On 2nd April, at 7 a.m.     |
| SWATOW, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.                 | HATAN            | Brit. str.  | 2 m.  | Rauch                 | DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.       | On 2nd April, at 10 a.m.    |
| MANILA DIRECT.                             | KANAU            | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 27th inst.               |
| MANILA DIRECT.                             | TAMING           | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 28th inst.               |
| MANILA DIRECT.                             | ZAFIRO           | Brit. str.  | —     | R. Rodger             | SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.         | On 1st April, at 10 a.m.    |
| MANILA DIRECT.                             | RUBI             | Brit. str.  | —     | A. H. Netley          | SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.         | On 8th April, at 10 a.m.    |
| MANILA DIRECT.                             | TREMONT          | Am. str.    | —     | T. W. Garlick         | DODWELL & CO., LD.          | About 12th April.           |
| CEBU & ILOILO.                             | SUNGLANG         | Brit. str.  | 1 m.  | —                     | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE         | On 31st inst.               |
| JAVA PORTS.                                | PIPIANAN         | Brit. str.  | —     | —                     | JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LYN        | Quick despatch.             |
| SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA.              | KUMBANG          | Brit. str.  | —     | —                     | JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.     | On 28th inst., at 3 p.m.    |

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THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN, AND EUROPE, VIA CANADIAN AND THE UNITED STATES.  
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 R.M.S. "EMPEROR OF CHINA" ... 6,000 Tons. ... WEDNESDAY, 29th Mar.  
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 R.M.S. "TARTAR" ... 4,425 Tons. ... WEDNESDAY, 26th April.  
 R.M.S. "EMPEROR OF JAPAN" ... 6,000 Tons. ... WEDNESDAY, 10th May.  
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VIA

MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

| Steamer. | Tons. | Captain.        | Sailing Date.        |
|----------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|
| PLIADIES | 3,753 | F. G. Purington | Thursday, March 30th |
| SHAWMUT  | 2,606 | E. V. Roberts   | Thursday, April 13th |
| TREMONT  | 2,606 | T. W. Garlick   | Friday, April 21st   |
| LYRA     | 4,417 | G. V. Williams  | Monday, May 15th     |

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DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, GENERAL AGENTS.

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## SOUTH AFRICAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

HONGKONG DIRECT, OR VIA CHEFOO OR CHIN-WAN-TAO, TO DURBAN, NATAL.

The following chartered steamers will run at intervals of about 3 weeks:—

|                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| S.S. "LOTHIAN" ...        | Captain J. C. Williamson. |
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| S.S. "COURTFIELD" ...     | Captain J. W. Martin.     |
| S.S. "CRANLEY" ...        | Captain W. E. Steele.     |
| S.S. "IKRAL" ...          | Captain M. Robertson.     |
| S.S. "ASCOT" ...          | Captain C. E. Cox.        |
| S.S. "SIKH" ...           | Captain J. Rowley.        |
| S.S. "INKULA" ...         | Captain Dean.             |
| S.S. "KATHERINE PARK" ... | Captain Copp.             |

For Freight, apply to

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Hongkong, 10th February, 1905. [10]

## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.  
 STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, BALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

STEAMERS WILL CALL AT GIBRALTAR AND SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LOGGERS.

N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

| STEAMERS.             | SAILING DATES.            |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| PRINZ REGENT LUITFOLD | WEDNESDAY ... 29th March  |
| PRINZ HEINRICH        | WEDNESDAY ... 12th April  |
| PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH | WEDNESDAY ... 26th April  |
| PREUSSEN              | WEDNESDAY ... 10th May    |
| ROON                  | WEDNESDAY ... 24th May    |
| BAYERN                | WEDNESDAY ... 7th June    |
| ZIETEN                | WEDNESDAY ... 21st June   |
| GNEISENAU             | WEDNESDAY ... 5th July    |
| SACHSEN               | WEDNESDAY ... 19th July   |
| CHARNHORST            | WEDNESDAY ... 2nd August  |
| SRINZ HEINRICH        | WEDNESDAY ... 16th August |
| PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH | WEDNESDAY ... 30th August |

ON WEDNESDAY, 29th day of the MARCH, 1905, at Noon, the Steamship "PRINZ REGENT LUITFOLD" Captain H. Kirohner, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave the Port as above, CALLING AT NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON on MONDAY, the 27th March. Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m., on TUESDAY, the 28th March. Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until NOON on TUESDAY, the 28th March.

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50, and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Lines can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to

HONGKONG, 17th March, 1905

MELCHERS & CO., AGENTS.

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## HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

| STEAMERS.         | DESTINATIONS.                              | SAILING DATE.  | Freight & Passengers. |
|-------------------|--|----------------|-----------------------|
| SCANDIA           | HAYRE and HAMBURG                          | On 28th Mar.   | Freight & Passengers. |
| Capt. v. Dohren   | (Calling at Singapore, Penang and Colombo) |                |                       |
| SUEVIA            | HAYRE and HAMBURG                          | On 4th April.  | Freight & Passengers. |
| Capt. Kniesel     | (Calling at Singapore, Penang and Colombo) |                |                       |
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## REVOLUTION IN RUSSIA.

Michael Prokoly was one of the most useful workmen employed in the laboratory; one who could be trusted to fulfil as well as promise, and at the same time one of the happiest and most contented workmen within the precincts of the factory. From the first, and the first month at Moscow was certainly improved by the help in many little ways received from the genial peasant. Michael had been well treated by his employers, and was in receipt of what was considered excellent pay, for while many of the workmen would have considered a rouble as a good day's wage, Prokoly had for some time been in receipt of one and a half. Michael was envied by a few, but respected by all, and was a source of surprise that I received his notice to leave his work.

"Why are you leaving, Michael?"

"Excellent, you are English: you will understand when I tell you that I am a Socialist."

"But there is no need for sacrificing a good birth, Michael, merely because you are a Socialist."

"Excellent, you are English, you do not know. I am a Russian, and I know and feel as a Russian. You look at the surface of a State and judge it from your own feelings. You have lived in St. Petersburg, yet have lived ignorant of all but the beautiful things you have seen. You think you know Moscow, although you are but a few months in residence; but, Excellent, take this from me, an Englishman cannot understand Russia until he understands the Russian people, their needs, their feelings. Russians who are worthy of the name, I, Michael Prokoly, will be pleased to open your eyes. You must, however, come quietly, and promise faithfully never to divulge what you hear or see."

"What about Tolstoy?"

"He is not dangerous; therefore is tolerated."

"Explain yourself, Michael."

"Tolstoy preaches a creed similar in many details to the Orthodox Church. He seeks the redemption of all mankind, preaches against tax-collectors, navies, armies, and general governments, knowing the while that it is only in a state of life where all men and women are intelligent that such things can possibly be understood. He cries for peace where peace is not, and where many are determined it shall not be, and advocates an idealism which will never have one whit more effect upon the people than the millennial promise has had. Tolstoy is a man of peace, a preacher of such. Pobedonostzoff is contented with a heaven beyond the confines of human thought. The heaven of Tolstoy and Pobedonostzoff is similar; the small division of a grave lies between that is all. Russians have heard a great deal of Heaven, but the question of bread, comfort, and liberty is more important to us to-day than all the dreamings of either mundane or celestial domains of a heavenly state."

The instruction officer, Michael P.

No; I am a man, and like a man I do  
approach you (led in my own way wit

the intervention of Pops or Cesar; and having received what education I have from my comrades—Brendon, and now contemplative in London, Paris, and New York, so that in a coming day, should I survive the struggle, I will be able to use the experience gathered in other lands in the performance of my duty. And for this, I am leaving my position; but before I go, for your own sake, as well as for the sake of our cause, you might show your appreciation of my services by granting me two favours."

"I will do all I can for you, Michael."

"Thanks, thanks. Then kindly give me as good a testimonial as possible, and, if you can, the name of some firm in London where I may find work. And my second request is that you give my comrade Androevsky to the position I now hold."

"Is Androevsky also a Socialist?"

"Yes; and let me tell you in confidence—two-thirds of the men and women in the factory are attached to the 'Bond.'"

Michael left in due course, his testimonials were highly appreciated, and he proved himself to be as industrious as he had been in Moscow. Androevsky was promoted to the position he vacated, and when I left my position I was quietly informed by Androevsky, "that all of the workers in the establishment were then connected with the 'Bond.' I visited a meeting place of the 'Bond' in the city, and found that the tactics of the discussion with Michael Prokofy, and there I listened to one who had come from Austria, and was then engaged in carrying a message round the many branches of the great revolutionary societies. I will now endeavour to describe what took place at that meeting, and open the eyes of my readers to the great storm which is gathering."

I met Michael Prokofy by appointment at the small suburban home of one of his friends, and from there we proceeded to the meeting place. The darkness prevented my noticing the many narrow lanes into which we turned, and it was nearly six o'clock before we halted at a number of small rooms, the entrance of one of small forming establishment. Leaving me for a few minutes alone, Michael entered and requested permission to introduce me to the meeting, returning when permission had been given to conduct me to the hall. I was cordially received, and addressed by the chairman in broken English; and the speaker, who was a number of the Socialists had already passed through the pilgrimage of travel which Michael Prokofy had still before him, and each of the

als appeared to possess a fair knowledge of English.

the exiles' committee in Austria, and the speaker, in a quiet yet forcible manner, laid before the meeting the necessities of the day. There was no talk about misery, revolt, or officialism, every moment had its value and was used for a purpose. The movement known as the "Bond" had resolved upon a general meeting in Paris of all revolutionary bodies in Russia, and a delegate had to be appointed from this branch of the "Bond". Now, his presence had been asked, while money as required for the help of men who were suffering in exile, and for the families of the incarcerated members. Then I learned how Michael Prokofy was always without money, for advancing to the table in the centre of the room he gave to the cause one-half of his wages. A well-dressed woman expressed her sorrow that her father would not give her money, but what she had she would give, and she had been wearing the chain and ornament which had been worn around her neck, and the little gold watch which she had received as a present from a dead mother. Amid applause, the members advanced one by one, giving what they could to the cause, then a comrade who had escaped from Siberia was supplied with funds and a passport to help him out of the country, and after the distribution of some letters among the members, the business part of the evening was over. The members began to converse one with another. I was introduced to some of the ladies, whom I will call Emilia Zlatostoff—as he is still occupying an official position in Russia it would be dangerous to give his own name, even in a

lounge time. Some men take to keeping pets, and spend many pleasant hours in watching them wriggle and scoot. Such a man resides not a hundred miles from high-up Jelaba, and the misfortune which befell him recently is rather remarkable. He kept his pet monkey, had two pet tortoises, and a pet lizard, and all his leisure. It cheered him in the dreariest moments, and helped him to bear his loneliness. But a panther at night stole away the monkey, and in the morning it was found dead on the lawn. The ingenious "boy" covered its body with poison, hoping to find on the following morning the body of the cruel panther. Instead, to the dismay equally of the owner and the tortoise, the panther had tasted of their dead chum, and in less than two hours the "jungle man" had lost his three old-time associates.—*Strait Times*.

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### THE BOYCOTT OF GERMAN FIRMS IN HANKOW.

In connection with the dispute between the Chinese merchants in Hankow and Messrs. Arnhold, Karberg and Co. and Carlowitz & Co. arising out of the failure of the compradors to meet their obligations, an agreement has been mutually arrived at between the two firms and the Chinese merchants to the following effect. In order to help the Chinese merchants in their financial embarrassments, the Chinese authorities will deposit Tls. 50,000 with the Deutsche Asiatische Bank in Hankow. On the other hand, the Chinese merchants will agree to pay the Consul a premium of 8 per cent on the total value of their exportation through the Tactai in which it is set out that as the merchants had suffered great losses through the bankruptcy of the compradors, the two firms are asked to act generously and repay to the merchants a part of their losses, in order to save them from financial embarrassment, the action of the firms not to be regarded as a precedent. The Consul has promised to see the firms and pay them a premium of 8 per cent on the total value of their exports for one year, amounting to 6 per mille, they to pay on account of this premium Tls. 40,000, which will be deposited with the Deutsche Asiatische Bank. The firms will then retain the premium of 6 per mille till the Tls. 60,000 and 8 per cent. thereon has been repaid. The authorities will

receiving the 6½ per mille from Messrs. Arnhold  
Korberg & Co. and Ciełogita & Co. The Bank

In one clause of this agreement it is specially stated that if the Chinese merchants had gone to the courts they would not have got a judgment against the two firms, as the firms were not responsible for the compradore orders; and the Chinese merchants further declare that in future they can only lay claims against foreign firms when they have closed their business direct with a European representative of the firm who must, in addition, be duly authorised. Receipts for merchandise received also must be signed by the firms and not by the compradores. Finally, the Chinese merchants bind themselves to withdraw the boycott of the Hankow goods and to publish the agreement in the Chinese papers.—*Shanghai Mercury.*

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| 生菜   | Yung shang Ts'oï—Lettuce .... piece  |
| 菇生   | Shang Tsō Ku—Mushrooms, .....        |
|      | fresh .....                          |
| 茄毛   | Mē Ke—Ochra .....                    |
| 頭菜   | Yung Tsing Tsau—Onions, P'hay .....  |
| 嫩生   | Shang Tsing Tsau—Onions, Green ..... |
| 頭菜   | Yet run Tsing Tsau—Onions, .....     |

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|      |               |          |            |
|------|---------------|----------|------------|
| 茄干   | Ja Khe        | Okrone   | "          |
| 菜豆   | Teung Tuen Si | Faley    | Long beans |
| 仔薯洋藕 | Woochou Shu   | Tsai     | Potatoes   |
|      | Koochow       |          | lb         |
| 仔薯海上 | Shanghai shu  | Tsai     | Potatoes   |
|      | Shanghai      |          | lb         |
| 仔薯木日 | Yat Pun Shu   | Tsai     | Potatoes   |
|      | Japanese      |          | "          |
| 仔薯門洗 | O Mun Shu     | Tsai     | Potatoes   |
|      | Macao         |          | "          |
| 仔薯梳花 | Pa Ke Shu     | Tsai     | Potatoes   |
|      | American      |          | "          |
| 番薯   | Fan Shu       | Potatoes | Sweet      |
| 長豆   | Tung Kwai     | Pumpkin  | "          |

菜什菰 Chai Tsai Tsai—Furshing .....  
 仔白羅紅 Hung Lo Pak Tsai—Radish... doz  
 菜什 Ya Tsai—Cabbage Root ..... each

|     |                                  |     |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----|
| 白蘿蔔 | Can Tung Tsa—Shalo's.....        | lb. |
| 白蘿蔔 | Yin T'oi—Spinach.....            | "   |
| 紅蘿蔔 | Fu Tzu—Taro's.....               | "   |
| 葫蘆  | Fan Ke—Tomatones.....            | "   |
| 葫蘆  | Lo Pak—Spinach Chinese.....      | "   |
|     | Lau kok.....                     | "   |
|     | Liu Ngau—Lily Root.....          | "   |
| 葫蘆  | Yeung Lo Pak—Turnips, Eng.       | "   |
| 豆腐  | Tait Kwa—Vegetable Marrow.....   | "   |
| 菜瓜  | Ma Tai—Water Chestnuts.....      | "   |
|     | Common.....                      | "   |
| 白菜  | Kwai Lau Ma Tai—Water.....       | "   |
| 白菜  | Chai Kwa.....                    | "   |
| 菜瓜  | Sai Yeung Tzu—Water Cresses..... | "   |
| 菜瓜  | Tai Khe—Young.....               | "   |

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